

## MILAN EXCHANGE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1887.

### OVER THE STATE.

**Jackson Whig:** A boiler exploded in the flour mill of Sam Black in Rutherford county, and killed a boy. The mill caught fire and burned down.

**Hon. C. W. Heiskel,** in a letter to Rev. H. A. Jones, of Memphis, writes from East Tennessee that prohibition will cross the mountains with 30,000 majority.

**Tri County News:** We learn that a gentleman named F. M. Keel, who resides near Atwood, in this county, had his pocket picked at Concord church last night losing \$17.05.

A bug flew into George McMillin's eye at Rockwood, and he mashed it, and the next day the doctor got a number of small worms out of the eye, supposed to have been hatched from the eggs that the bug left in the eye.

**Tribune and Sun:** Madison county has the smallest man in the state, Mr. Dan'l Hance; is 37 years old, is but little over three feet in height and weighs sixty pounds. He is perfectly formed, and has a voice like a bass violin.

On one plantation in Tipton, where there are sixty-five colored voters, a poll was taken recently, when it was shown that forty five were in favor of prohibition. Most of them had heard the far-famed McElwee.—Covington Leader.

On last Tuesday J. Wesson, sawyer at Littleton's saw mill, about five southwest of Kenton, was thrown against the saw by a piece of lumber, and one of his legs was cut off just above the knee. Mr. Wesson did not rally from the shock, but died that night.

**County Line Index:** A 7-months-old child of John Calhoun, a negro living on J. F. Penn's farm, was accidentally shot by a 5 year old brother on Wednesday, dying in a few minutes. Thus the small boy and the gun add another victim to their already long list.

**Gallatin Examiner:** The drouth in Smith county has been severe. It is estimated that there will not be exceeding a third of a crop of corn raised in this county, and not one-fifth of a tobacco crop. Water is growing very scarce, and in many localities it has to be hauled for miles for drinking purposes.

**Southern Standard:** There has been a meal famine in McMinnville during the last week. For several days none can be had from the stores or mills near town. The drouth in many localities has cut the corn crop so short that all who have old corn on hand are holding it for family use, and the mills can get none to grind.

Dan Miller, of Cocke county, aged 22, married a widow who had \$2,000 and four children. Daniel started west with his new family, but when thirty miles from their old home he left the widow and four children standing in the road, and driving off with the team and the money. He was arrested in Atlanta, and taken back to Cocke.

**County Line Index:** John Littleton is severe on the ministers for preaching prohibition and intimates that the present contest is a war between the saloons and the preachers for supremacy. John should remember that there will be preachers in Tennessee when he has emigrated to a zone more torrid than this, there to join Dives in gazing wistfully at Lazarus a great way off.

**State-Gazette:** B. O. Rodgers has at his father's farm, a few miles from Dyersburg, an Egyptian duck that is quite a curiosity. It is now three years old and is entirely without feathers. Its legs are nine inches long and its bill is two and a half inches long, shaped like a table spoon and about the size of one. Its voice is as loud as a child's, when angry. It eats chinchies and keeps the house clear of all insects. It is said to feather at seven years.

**Dickson County Press:** Hog cholera is rapidly decimating the swine in this locality, and, if its ravages keep on much longer, pork will not only be out of the reach of country editors, but of almost everybody else. One gentleman here has lost thirteen fine hogs within a short time, and among the lot were three blooded brood sows.

**Paris Post:** Mr. W. R. Cooley, who was charged with the murder of Charles and Henry Philippin, in Stewart county last year, was tried and acquitted at Dover last week. Philippin, father and son, were killed at their gate by Cooley, the difficulty arising about the arrests and charges for cattle stealing made in that county last fall.

Billy Buck Porter, wife and daughter, all colored, were placed in jail Saturday night upon the charge of stealing a pair of diamond ear-rings, the property of Mrs. Dr. W. G. Bibb. The stolen property was found in the possession of the darkies, who had buried them in the ground. Mrs. Bibb not desiring to prosecute, all were released Monday night.—Paris Post.

Henry Wade, a big, doubled-faced negro, came very near killing Mr. John Bradley Saturday in Clarksville. Wade was employed at Bradley's brick-yard and was discharged for some cause. Wade came in the afternoon for his pay. Bradley ordered him off to wait the pay hour, when Wade knocked him down with a billet of wood and beat the old man severely. The stick of wood broke over his head or another lick would have finished him. Wade is under arrest.

**Memphis Avalanche:** Last Tuesday morning John Sullivan, a prominent plasterer of Chattanooga, took his wife out driving on Lookout Mountain. Coming down the road his horse became frightened and tore down at a breakneck speed. Sullivan was thrown out and had three ribs broken. Mrs. Sullivan saw her husband fall and was then thrown herself. She was not badly hurt, but the shock to her nervous system was so great that she was a raving maniac when taken up and has shown no sign of returning sanity.

### They Grow Corn in Georgia.

It is said the corn is so rank, dark and green on the Comasuga bottoms that the light from the fireflies can be seen flickering through its sombre shade even when the sun is high in the heavens. An old farmer tells a good one about a fellow who lost his way in one of these vast dark forests of corn, and was utterly unable to extricate himself. An exploring party, with lanterns went in search of him. When, at last, "the lost was found," he was discovered in the top of a tall cornstalk a straddle of an ear of corn, where he had been watching for the last twenty-four hours for the sun to rise.—Dalton (Ga.) Citizen.

### Useful and Hurtful Medicine.

There is a certain class of remedies for constipation absolutely useless. These are boluses and portions made in great part of podophyllin, aloes, rhubarb, gamboge, and other worthless ingredients. The damage they do to the stomachs of those who use them is incalculable. They evacuate the bowels, it is true, but always do so violently and profusely, and besides, gripe the bowels. Their effect is to weaken both them and the stomach. Better far to use the agreeable and salutary aperient, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the laxative effects of which is never preceded by pain, or accompanied by a convulsive, violent action of the bowels. On the contrary, it invigorates the organs, the stomach and the entire system. As a means of curing and preventing malarial fevers, no medicine can compare with it, and it remedies nervous debility, rheumatism, kidney and bladder inactivity, and other inorganic ailments.

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sell to the highest bidder for cash, in front of the court house door in the town of Humboldt, having the equity of redemption, the following described property, to wit: Situated in the town of Milan, Gibson county, Tenn., known as the Ellis property, bounded as follows, beginning at a stake on Ellis street, thence west 32 feet to a stake on same land; thence north 145 feet to a stake on the Wilson and Ellis property; thence east 98 feet to a stake near the Williams lot, and thence to the beginning. This Aug. 13th, 1887. G. B. D. FERRELL, C. & M.

### Non-Resident Notice.

Wm. Watt et al., vs. A. M. Williams et al. IT appearing from bill which is sworn to in this cause that the defendants J. K. Bon-durant, & Co., and F. G. Rineold & Co., are non residents of the State of Tennessee so that the ordinary process of law cannot be served on them. It is therefore ordered that the said defendants make their appearance herein at the Court House in Humboldt on or before the second Monday in October, 1887, that being a rule day of this court, and plead, answer or demur to complainant's bill or the same will be taken for confessed and set for hearing as to the merits of the cause, and a copy of this order be published in the Milan Exchange for four successive weeks. his Aug. 10, 1887. G. B. D. FERRELL, C. & M. Rankin & Rhodes, Sol. for Com.

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